

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: Kie Jin PARKS, et al.

Serial No.: 10/015,768

Group Art Unit: 2114

Filed: December 17, 2001

Examiner: Anne L. Damiano



For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVING SOFTWARE AVAILABILITY OF CLUSTER COMPUTER SYSTEM

TRANSMITTAL

October 15, 2004

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED
OCT 19 2004
Technology Center 2100

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

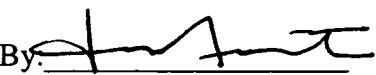
Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Addit. (or) Fee	Other Than A Small Entity Rate Addit. Fee
Total 14	=	0	x 09 = \$	x 18 = \$
Indep. 3	=	0	x 43 = \$	x 86 = \$
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims			+145 = \$	+ 290 = \$
Total Additional Fee			\$	\$

___ A check in the amount of \$___ is attached for:

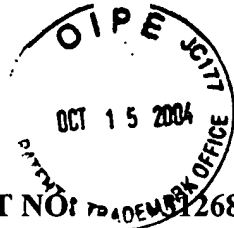
XXXX If a Petition for Extension of Time is necessary and the Petition and/or the payment of the fee is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response and charge any fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a)(1)-(5) to Deposit Account No. 50-3266. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any other additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3266. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Piper Rudnick, LLP

By:  44,977
Yoon H. Ham
Registration No. 45,307

(202) 861-3871
P.O. Box 9271
Reston, VA 20195



DOCKET NO: 2689/P0001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kie Jin PARKS et al.

ART UNIT: 2114

SERIAL NO.: 10/015,768

EXAMINER: Anne L. DAMIANO

FILING DATE: December 17, 2001

FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVING SOFTWARE AVAILABILITY OF CLUSTER COMPUTER SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
PO BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED

OCT 19 2004

Technology Center 2100

SIR:

Responsive to the outstanding Office Action dated July 16, 2004, entry of the following amendment and response is respectfully requested.